

Histon & Impington

Population 2011	8410
No of Homes 2011	3580

Comparison with Recommended Standards			
Type	Provision (hectares)	Requirement from Recommended Standard	Surplus/Shortfall (hectares)
Sport	6.27	13.46	-7.19
Play Space	0.47	6.73	-6.26
Informal Open Space	0.83	3.36	-2.53
Allotments	10.31	3.36	+6.95
Community Orchard	0.47		

Outdoor Sport

Outdoor Sport Sites		
Address	Size (hectares)	Contents / Description
Histon & Impington Recreation Ground, New Road, Impington	6.27	<u>Overview:</u> Large open space with children's playground and various sports facilities - tennis courts, basketball hoop, a bowling green, cricket square and space where other pitches could be marked out

Pitches		
Type	Quantity	Quality
Football – Senior	4 (1 overlap with cricket)	Very Good (FA South East Groundsman of the Year 2006)
Mini-soccer	3	Very Good (1 excellent minor county standard)
Cricket	2 (overlap with football)	Very Good
Bowls	1 (6 rinks)	Excellent
Tennis - Grass	4	Very Good
MUGA Floodlit	1 five aside	Very Good
Tennis court all weather	1	Very Good
Outdoor fitness and buggy trail		Very Good

Village College Pitches		
Type	Quantity	Quality
Cricket	1 (overlaps 2 grass pitches)	
All purpose grass pitches	6; used for hockey, football, rugby etc (2 overlapped by cricket pitch)	
MUGA	4 (tarmac, marked for tennis & netball)	

Pavilion		
Address	Sports	Quality
Recreation Ground Pavillion	All purpose pavilion	Very Good

Current Users		
Sport	Clubs	Teams
Football	Histon Hornets FC	9 youth 4 mini 4 girls 2 disability 1 women
Football	Histon FC	2 men
Bowls	Histon Bowling club	50 member
Cricket	Histon Cricket Club	3 men 5 junior
Tennis	Histon Tennis Club	13 teams 80 adult 40 junior members

Children's Play

Children's Equipped Play Area		
Address	Size (hectares)	Contents / Description
Land west of Water Lane, north of Brook Close, Histon (The Village Green)	0.16	<p><u>Overview:</u> Small play area with grass, wood chippings and rubberised safety surface intended for children under 14 with a large range of equipment</p> <p><u>Classification:</u> LEAP</p> <p>Quality: Good</p>
Land west of Mill Road, Impington	0.19	<p><u>Overview:</u> Small fenced off play area with a rubberised safety surface intended for children under 8 small range of equipment</p> <p><u>Classification:</u> LAP</p> <p>Quality Good</p>
Histon & Impington Recreation Ground, New Road, Impington	0.12	<p><u>Overview:</u> Large play area with a grass and rubberised safety surface intended for children under 12 large range of equipment</p> <p><u>Classification:</u> NEAP</p> <p>Quality: Very good</p>

Informal Open Space	
Address	Size (hectares)
Land at Narrow Close, adjacent Garden Walk, Histon	0.16
Land at Orchard Road, Histon	0.11
Land at St Audrey's Close, Histon	0.14
Land east of Farmstead Close, Histon	0.22
Land north of Burkett Way, Histon	0.20

Allotments

Allotments		
Address	Size (hectares)	Quality
Land east of Glebe Way, west of Spring Road, Histon	0.24	Good
Land north of Cottenham Road and Parlour Close, Histon	1.46	Good
Land south of New Road, Histon	1.22	Good
Land east of Cambridge Road, south of Howgate Road, Impington	5.72	Good
Land north of Clay Close Lane, Impington	1.67	Good

New or improved facilities required to meet local need

Sport	Improvements Needed
Football	Space for under 16 football
Rugby	Space needed
Hockey	Space needed
Croquet	Space needed

Sport	Facility Needed

Summary

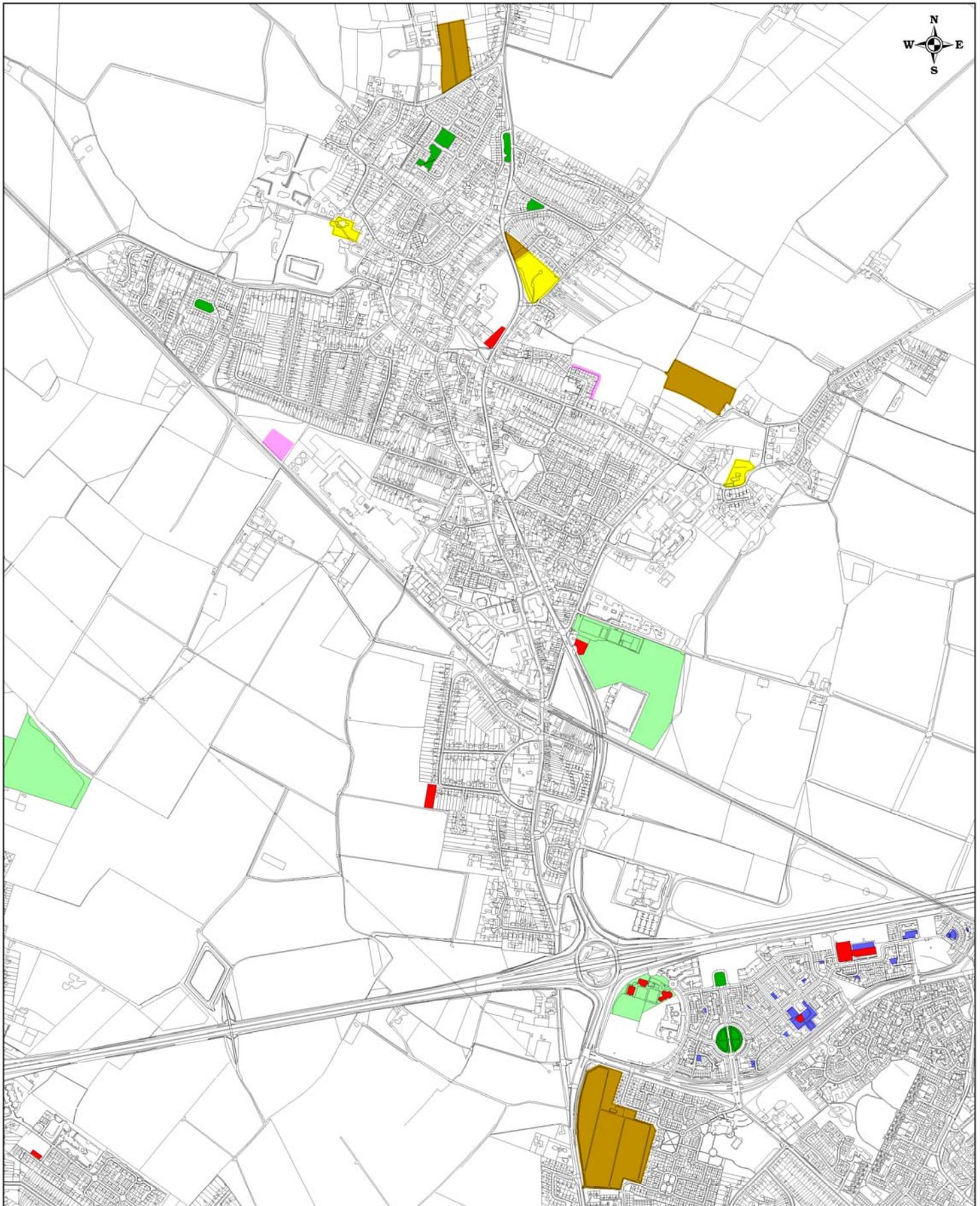
Both village colts football and cricket clubs are very well supported and improvements to the pitches and facilities ensure they meet the demand placed on them. The Friends of the Recreation Group are very proactive in the development of the site

There is a large tennis club in the village with over 120 members both adult and junior and they have 13 teams.

The bowls clubs use five of the rinks and one is available to the general public and they have over 120 members.

Histon Cricket club was awarded a grant of £1800 in 2007 towards replacement of broken screens.

The Multi-use games area was installed in 2006 at a cost of £35131.



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|  Allotments |  Burial Grounds |
|  Children's Formal Play Space |  Community Orchards |
|  Informal Open Space |  Informal Play Space |
|  Outdoor Sport | |

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